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**Sparkman Sees
'No Urgency' on
Korea Pullout**

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The chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee said yesterday he saw "no urgency" for the committee to act on the proposed withdrawal of U.S. ground forces from South Korea.

Sen. John J. Sparkman (D-Ala.) commented after the panel received a closed-door briefing on Korea from Adm. Stansfield Turner, director of the Central Intelligence Agency. Turner refused to discuss his testimony with reporters.

Sparkman said Turner's appearance was to provide the CIA's estimates of the impact of the withdrawal, which President Carter intends to carry out over a four-to-five-year period.

He said Gen. George Brown, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Under secretary of State Philip Habib, who testified before the committee last Friday, would be called back to discuss the Korean question again.

Sparkman said there had been "some confusion over the basis of intelligence as it relates to the question of a possible pullout of U.S. ground troops from Korea over the next few years."

He said, "I want to make it clear that there is no urgency in this matter, and it is possible that the Foreign Relations Committee will take no action one way or the other in the near future."

But Sparkman indicated later that it was unlikely the committee would take no action at all.